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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Wei-Kung Wang
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated December 30, 2003, be extended for one month to and including March 1, 2004.

Enclosed is a check for \$55 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to deposit account 06-1050, referencing attorney docket 12563-004001.

Respectfully submitted,

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